AO 399 (01/09) Waiver of the Service of Summons

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the Eastern District of Michigan

State Farm Mutual	Automobile	Insurance	Company,
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Plaintiff'

Civil Action No. 2:14-cv-10266

v.

Honorable Stephen J. Murphy, III

Universal Health Group, et al.

Defendant

WAIVER OF THE SERVICE OF SUMMONS

To: Eric Gortner		
(Name of the plaintiff's attorney or unrepresented plaintiff)		
I have received your request to waive service of a summetwo copies of this waiver form, and a prepaid means of returning	ons in this action along with a copy of the complaint, one signed copy of the form to you.	
I, or the entity I represent, agree to save the expense of se	erving a summons and complaint in this case.	
I understand that I, or the entity I represent, will keep jurisdiction, and the venue of the action, but that I waive any objection.	o all defenses or objections to the lawsuit, the court's ections to the absence of a summons or of service.	
	lest was sent (or 90 days if it was sent outside the United	
Date: February 4, 2014	Thy or a	
	Signature of the attorney or unrepresented party	
UHG Management, LLC	Ben M. Gonek (P43716)	
Printed name of party waiving service of summons	Printed name	
Address:	500 Griswold St., Suite 3500	
City, State Zip:	Detroit, MI 48226	
E-mail address:	ben@goneklaw.com	
Telephone number:	313-962-5210	
Duty to Avoid Unnecessary Expens	es of Serving a Summons	

Rule 4 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure requires certain defendants to cooperate in saving unnecessary expenses of serving a summons and complaint. A defendant who is located in the United States and who fails to return a signed waiver of service requested by a plaintiff located in the United States will be required to pay the expenses of service, unless the defendant shows good cause for the failure.

"Good cause" does not include a belief that the lawsuit is groundless, or that it has been brought in an improper venue, or that the court has no jurisdiction over this matter or over the defendant or the defendant's property.

If the waiver is signed and returned, you can still make these and all other defenses and objections, but you cannot object to the absence of a summons or of service.

If you waive service, then you must, within the time specified on the waiver form, serve an answer or a motion under Rule 12 on the plaintiff and file a copy with the court. By signing and returning the waiver form, you are allowed more time to respond than if a summons had been served.